

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: PEOPLES NATURAL GAS COMPANY, DIVISION OF UTILICORP UNITED INC.	DOCKET NO. PGA-01-50
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ORDER CLOSING DOCKET

(Issued November 19, 2001)

On August 1, 2001, Peoples Natural Gas Company, Division of UtiliCorp United Inc. (Peoples), filed with the Utilities Board (Board) its annual purchased gas adjustment (PGA) filing required by 199 IAC 19.10(2). The annual filing was identified as Docket No. PGA-01-50. On August 14, 2001, the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate) filed an "Answer, Conditional Objection, and Response" to the annual filing. In its pleading Consumer Advocate stated that Peoples did not serve Consumer Advocate with the confidential portion of the annual filing. Consumer Advocate stated that it conditionally objected to the annual filing since it would need additional time to review the annual filing.

The Board, by order issued August 28, 2001, docketed the annual filing to allow for a complete review by Consumer Advocate. Peoples made a revised filing based upon discussions with Consumer Advocate. On September 13, 2001, Consumer Advocate filed a withdrawal of its conditional objection. In the pleading

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Consumer Advocate stated that it had resolved all outstanding issues with Peoples concerning the annual filing.

The Board will now close this docket. The Board, by memo dated September 13, 2001, approved the revised annual filing subject to complaint and investigation.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

Docket No. PGA-01-50 is closed.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper _____
Executive Secretary

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 19th day of November, 2001.